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MAIL EARLY, SOME FIRST CLASS MAIL TAKES 6 DAYS TO REACH US. CALL BEFORE 10PM ON CLOSING DAY, TO INSURE YOUR BID GETS ENTERED.

- 1. 1860 Abe Lincoln/Hannibal Hamlin round political ferrotype campaign badge. Beardless #1 photo of Lincoln set in round brass frame, inscribed "Abraham Lincoln 1860" with 2 palm sprays. Rev photo of Hamlin in similar set-up. Sullivan#AL1860-101, 1", holed as made, portraits a little dark, but undamaged. To be worn on ribbon Min\$300.
- 2. 1907 **Brockton Fair** stamped watch fob, "J. Sullivan". Shield-shaped. flowerette border, 1¾", nickel, new strap. VF See lot 49
- 3. **Dental Civil War token,** Drs. Brown & Dills, Dentists, Piqua Ohio. Rev helmeted Mercury, 1863. Fuld#730A-4a, rarity 6 Cent-size copper, VF Est.\$50+
- 4. Cuba key countermark(1872-77) on 1846 Seated Liberty quarter. Short key variety, KM#4 3, c/s F-VF, host coin AG-G Cat\$185 in F, \$275 in VF. This should realize somewhere in between This C/S scarce on U.S. coin
- 5. **Tom Thumb** medal "The General" on desk top next to books, quill etc to give size perspective. "Charles Stratton known as Gen Tom Thumb, 51' high"/his miniature horse-drawn carriage coach. White metal, 1½", by Moore, Birm., for P.T. Barnum. XF
- 6. **Starrett Tools** figural brass chair pin Brass chair with Starrett logo on in relief on chair back 1-5/8", XF By W&H No ribbon Neat!
- 7 Proof wax seal in round turned adv'g wooden box. Red wax seal has lion within belt border, "Spes mea in deo". Embossed card on lid "A.W. Francis, Stone seal & Cameo Engraver, 23 Murray St. NY". 1-5/8", exc.
- 8 French bronze mother and child medallion, low relief image of mother caressing child/olive branch, "Pro patria per orbis concordiam" "For conciliation internationale" By Yancesse 1¾", XF Edge marked
- 9 Colorful tin litho adv'g pin, Rainbow Over Chicago(pictured) Ca 1940 By Chicago Herald-American 7/8", by Imber Excellent *5 available*.
- 10 Humane Society of Massachusetts officer's medal Obv shows 5-pt star, scallop shell, shield with Mass Indian and flag Rev lists Society s officers and trustees 1866 2½. Unc chocolate brown patina Storer#1295 By Wyon, London A beautiful medal
- 11 Knights Templar, 26th Triennial Boston 1895 Figural musket copper top bar, "Springfield Commandery KT" Black & white ribbon copper drop shows cross & crown/Masonic Building Springfield(MA) 3"X2½", XF
- 12 The St. Nicholas League sterling & enameled pin Red, white & blue shield within wreath with eagle on top 1", excellent condition
- 13 1757 MM Pillar dollar, Mexico Obv pillars of Hercules and crowned globes Rev coat of arms 8-reale, milled edge, non-sea salvage, F+, cleaned many years ago KM#104 1 Est \$150
- 14 Love token on rev of 1834 capped bust dime "Olive" with attractive decorative border T-bar pin on rev VF Scarce on bust dime







- 15 Rare Arthur M. Claflin encased postage. 10¢, Main St. Hopkinton(MA). Hodder-Bowers #92. Unpriced in their catalog. 2 to 3 specimens known of this denomination. Undamaged, Fine condition. Mica intact, but with some slight crazing Rev bold with 3 or 4 minor spots. A more available 1¢ Ch-EF realized \$6710 in Kagin's Feb. '88 sale. Min.\$3000
- 16. Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, Cleveland 1925 convention, adv token. A.G. Meier & Co. Manufacturers of Uniforms and Caps, Chicago. Shows their logo/horseshoe and Brotherhood logo. Brass, 11/4", XF
- 17. Colt(Pistols & Revolvers) pocket screwdriver. Obv stamped "Colt", rev rearing horse with arrows logo 3 pronged, holed as made, gun-blue finish, 1½", XF. 7 available.
- 18. British Military Queen Victoria South Africa Campaign medal with two bars, Orange-Free State and Cape Colony. Edge stamped "6624 PTE T. Hyde R.A.M.C." XF, charcoal gray toning, no ribbon. Min\$100.
- 19 Silver restrike of the 1796 Castorland French-American Colonial coin Unc prooflike surfaces with some peripheral toning. Edge stamped with cornucopia 1. Struck sometime after 1910 but not modern finish. 11/4"
- 20. SILVER 1898 BICYCLE MEDAL. "4th Annual Spring Century Run, New York to Patchogue & ret " Designed by John Frick, NY Center shows Century wheelman, crossed logo with red enamel Winner's name etched on rev 1-5/8", looped, toned XF
- 21. Albuquerque N.Mex Saloon token. The Club Saloon, F.W.Shambeck. prop L A Rub Stamp Co Rev Good for 2½ in Trade Scalloped aluminum, 27mm, VF-F, somewhat porous
- 22 2 Victor Hugo mem'l bronze trial strikes for the Cercle du Bibliophile Both have same portrait Hugo 3/4 left •1-5/8", rev stamped CDB, golden AU •2-1/8", "1802-1885". AU olive toned Unsigned, but well done
- 23 Counterstamped 1917 Canadian large cent Rev. in circle from prepared punch "Alazhar Temple June 1922" and in two lines in center "Calgary Alta" Coin and c/s XF
- 24 1953 So African 3-pc presentation set for Coronation of Queen Elizabeth All, Unc. 11/4", common portrait obv Gold, shows orchid. 62 oz 15K Silver, shows 4 horned animals of the Savannah Bronze, shows chicken-like bird of prey with snake in his talon. Custom fitted leather case, monogrammed for the So. African Mint. A beautiful set. Min\$150.
- 25 WILLKIE (1944) LITHO PRESIDENTIAL PINBACK BUTTON, r, w&b, 7/8". "Member Associated Willkie Clubs of Illinois". Excellent condition
- 26 New Hampshire token. Charlie Chaplin "See me in the Gold Rush" Chaplin shown. Rev "See Charlie Chaplin in the Gold Rush, Strand Theater, Manchester NH", flying gold bags Brass, 1-5/16", VG, nicks
- 27 1898 Winnipeg Manitoba Trans token Foot Passenger, 1 Trip. 2¢ Red River & Assiniboine Bridge Co Aluminum, 1", AC#Man900A XF.









- 28. 1861 Lincoln Civil War I.D. tag. Unique occupational, not military. Gilt bronze, Lincoln facing right, by F.B.Smith/Civil War period stamping "Dennison Rust Clams, Lobsters, and Fish, Ipswich Mass". 30mm, F-XF Min\$400
- 29. Pair of stamped fancy design Colonial buttons, brass, 1 piece, 1-3/8", central grape vine with grapes, outer border oak leaves & acorn VF and F with shanks. Small amount of gilding remains Est.\$75+.

LOOPED, DOUBLE SIDED PICTORIAL DIME LOVE TOKENS, TONED XF, QUALITY

- 30. E.S. monogram, stippled field/bridge scene, tree, cottage & birds.
- 31. M.C. monogram/cottage, picket fence, shrubbery & birds.
- 32. O.M. monogram/lighthouse, sailboat, tree
- 33. **1920s hand-painted silk garter pin** Flapper's face with flip hair-do. Silk ribbon reads "Will You Why Not?" Pin 1½", overall 2¾". VF.
- 34. **1938** ROUND ENCASED LINCOLN CENT The Miller Co., Meriden Conn "Good Lighting since 1844" 36mm, AU-Unc.
- 35 Unlisted Merchant's counterstamp "Hope File Works" partially c/s twice on obv of 1874 shield nickel 1st c/s "Hope File W". 2nd c/s "le Works". Coin VG, c/s's VF and F respectively.
- 36. Satirical Black Americana pocket mirror. In poor condition, but still presentable 1½", Young black boy peeing through a knothole in a tree. A goose has attached himself. "The early bird catches the worm". Brown, green, and red. Moderate foxing, particularly on right hand side. Back frame is rusted, with portion of cell'd separation. Mirror has stained area.
- 37 Named Massachusetts WWI Town appreciation medal, Everett, shows city seal. Rev "Presented to C L Watkins" Bronze, 11/4", looped VF
- 38 Unlisted coal scrip, Bryson Mt C &C Co Hartranft, Tenn 5 store 1905 Countermarked 939 Rev same no c/m Brass 17mm square. VF Store 1910 listed in Edkins R9 and R10 See lot 91
- 39 Railroad Luggage Tag brass oval luggage tag for Philadelphia & Atlantic City L 938. A C R R By Hoole Mfg Co NY 1¾", F
- 40 **High grade fishing-related Civil War token** M L Marshall, Oswego NY 1863, shows trout. Rev "Toys, Fancy Goods, Fishing Tackle and Rare Coins" Copper, cent size, Fuld#695A2a Choice red & brown Unc
- 41 Scarce silver so-called dollar Montana Dollar 1933, by Montana Silver Assn. Mining scene, "Silver, the Key to Prosperity 1933"/ Montana State seal, "1 troy oz silver 999 fine" HK#820 1-9/16", Ch-Unc, molted iridescent toning "Fewer than 100 specimens extant" Est \$100+
- 42. British Theater pass, Gallery Theater Royal/Issued by Longley's Patent Engraved "1841". Brass, 1¼", Triangular center cutout as made XF









- 43 French bronze King Charlemagne medal Part of a series of French kings, by Cague 1839. Obv bust facing left. Rev stats. Chocolate-brown Unc. A couple minor spots. 2".
- 44 High-grade Hard Times Token, Smith's Clock Establishment 1837. HT #314, R1. Obv clock face "Time is Money". Rev name, address & date. Copper, 1-1/8", AU with luster. Min\$100.
- 45 **Vermont paper Civil War scrip**. Bank of Caledonia, St. Johnsbury, 3¢ denomination. Shows dog guarding safe. Black & white. 2-7/8"x1¾", January 1, 1863. Avg Circ
- 46. **1819-AG Mexico silver 8 reale War of Independence**. Zacatecas Mint. Ferdinand VII/Arms 1½", KM#111.5. XF. Old cleaning now retoning Obv weak at 7 o'clock. Cat\$100.
- 47. R8, Texas Lumber token. Sessions Lumber & Supply Co. Arp, Texas Good for 5 in Merchandise. Brass, 21mm, VF Est\$100+.
- 48. **U.S. Mint America in Space medal 1988**, Young Astronaut Program. Obv shows Space Shuttle, "Liberty" Rev "United States of America", "Young Astronauts", eagle 8 36 gr 90% gold 7/8", encapsulated Unc.
- 49. AMERICAN HARVESTER nickel-plated watch fob Shows 2 hemispheres joined by agricultural products. Rev farm products description. 2-7/8", XF By Childs, Chicago. See lot 2.
- 50. Set of 3 1934 Capped Cents, Welcome Home Admiral Byrd, 1935. Set into original cards. Gold-tone, silvered, and copper. All Unc. I have never owned one on the original card and was unaware of this set. Rare
- 51 **Miniature figural adv'g charm** Jenkins Valve Miniature brass valve with green spigot-type handle Looped at top. 1½", XF *5 available*
- 52 **1904 Liberty nickel pop-out cufflink** Art Nouveau style female head popped out from 1904 Liberty nickel Stud-style cufflink attachment XF
- 53 1969 silver Nixon Inaugural medal Obv Nixon portrait ¾ right Rev presidential seal By Ralph Menconi Struck by Medallic Art 4 71 oz 999 fine silver. Edge #8352 2½" Unc., toned on high parts
- 54 **Golf Goat medal**, Oakley Country Club Goat shown Acorn and leaf logo Rev engr "D D.Fisk" Copper, scalloped edge, 11/4", XF
- 55 Copy of the 1792 cent fabrication by M W Dickeson I believe this is a cast copy in copper-plated white metal, of the Dr Dickeson fabrication Listed in Judd Pattern book, Appendix C Obv eagle on rock. Rev "Trial piece designed for U.S. cent 1792". 30mm, porous VF-XF Interesting!
- 56 High-grade 1781 North American token. Obv ship under sail, says "Commerce". Rev shows Seated Britannia with harp. Copper, 28mm, hard glossy-brown surface. Grade VF for this weakly struck issue. Listed in Red Book, catalog \$200. Min\$100.



- 57. Handsome gold and pearl Fraternity pin Chi Psi National Academic Fraternity. High relief, 7 grams 18K, tested but unmarked. 17 seed pearls, ross with skull & bones, floral pattern. Rev engr "Henry Williams Gould class of '27" 3/4", XF. Est.\$100+.
- 58. SILVER ENGRAVED 1901 2-PC BADGE Top bar " 2^{nd} Prize", linked to engraved 6 petal drop, "Southbridge(MA) Driving Club, July 4 100 yard dash". $2\frac{1}{4}$ ", t-bar pin. XF.
- 59. **Massachusetts pictorial swastika good luck token**, Zebuazo Whip, Westfield Mass. Horse head & crossed whips/membership emblem of the Don't Worry Club. 1¼", aluminum, XF
- 60. 1946 Captain Midnight's Secret Squadron decoder badge. Center disk has signal mirror in red border. Brass outer frame with star, wings & propeller. 2½", pin missing. Scarce. Hake priceguided at \$200.
- 61. **Figural 1907 dog tax license** Amherst(NH) #126. Lock-shaped, black lettering on nickel, 1¼", XF
- 62 **Submarine-related tie bar and drop** Wire-style 3" tie bar, linked to figural miniature 13/4" torpedo Chrome-plated Great condition.
- 63. Figural Indian Motorcycle Dealer's fob Bronze Indian-head with war bonnet Band says "B A Swenson", ribbon below says "The Motorcycle Man" 2½". By Robbins Co. Attleboro Mass Rare Min\$150.
- 4 Engraved love token on 5 Mint Seated Liberty half. Obv fields engruizize Godfrey July 12 1882(where date should be)" L.H. monogram under date. Coin & engraving XF, polished. Neat!
- 65 Civil War storecard, J.C. Knoblock, South Bend Ind. Baker & Grocer Rev 1863 Libertyhead with coronet Fuld#860E-1a, R4 VF with small edge clip as made Couple old rev scratches blend in
- 66 Silver award medal. The Edward Longstreth Medal of Merit. Founded 1890 Portrait of Longsteth facing left. By Winkens. Rev "Awarded by the Franklin Institute". 13/4", toned AU. May be U.S. Mint but unlisted in Julian
- 67. **Bronze Ferdinand Magellan commemorative medal** Bearded Magellan facing right/His 3 ships, commem 1519-1522 voyage 40mm, high-relief. SB designer monogram Appears cast then struck Quality!
- 68 **So-Called Dollar** Elder Continental Dollar-Related restrike HK860 Continental dollar obv/Confederation with all-seeing eye rev White metal. AU. 1½" Circa 1910 Est \$50+
- 69 HAND-ENGRAVED IVORY POKER CHIP, Engraved "Texas Belle" (Mississippi River boat) & tomahawk/Fifty \$ Red & white, 1½" There is a great deal of controversy over these engraved chips. Some think engraving was added to a generic ivory chip. But, no matter, they still command bids of \$200 to \$300 when they come on the market. Min\$100



- 70. 14K Gold Star-Shaped Pendant with Pop-Out. Center is gold copy of 1913 Pop-Out Barber quarter. 3 gold hearts hanging from bottom. Intricately engraved, looped with ring, 17.2 gr., 2½", VF. Min\$200.
- 71. Art Deco official large size medallion for 1933 Century of Progress. Scarce 1934 edition. Male figure/relief map of Expo grounds. By Robert Zettler. Struck at U.S. Mint exhibit at Expo. 2¾", Unc, golden patina.
- 72. **Numbered Purple Heart**, gold-tone with enamel, Washington facing left. Rev "For Military Merit". Unnamed, but edge #47. Quality, would indicate good age. 2", Extremely fine condition, no ribbon.
- 73. Named Panama Canal Zone Volunteer Fire badge Pedro Miguel. Cross-shape, #10 Black on nickel, 13/4", XF. Circa 1930. Min\$100.
- 74. **High-grade Lower Canada Wellington token**. Wellington facing left/list of battles. Breton#986 Copper, 28mm, XF-AU with luster. Charlton#WE-11B8 XF Cat\$40, Unc Cat\$125. Old envelope.
- 75. NORTH CAROLINA 1959 METAL FISH NET LICENSE TAG. Stamped, uniface aluminum tag, N.C. Wildlife Resources Commission Fish Net Tag #32411 1959. Holed as made, 21/4" round, XF
- 76. Gold and Silver 300th So. African anniversary medallions for Van Riebeeck's 1652 Discovery of Capetown Both PL-Unc, 1-1/8", in fitted case, by So.African Mint. Gold has 16 gr 22K. Van Riebeeck within fortification walls, "1652-1952"/ "1952 Van Riebeeck Festival". Min\$150.
- 77. **Satirical black Americana**, celluloid black baby(1½") in a simulated walnut shell(2"). Made in Austria, circa 1930 XF. Est \$50+
- 78. **Scarce date, 1932 round encased cent** William G Berman 242 Trumbull St., Hartford(CT) "All Kinds of Insurance" Cent is Ch-AU, glossy dark obv, more red on rev Overall 1-3/8"
- 79 1776 Silver engraved Austrian 25" Wedding Anniversary medal Obv maiden and eternal flame Engraved "1776" with inscription Rev vows engraved "Pieter Keeren. Anna Elisabeth Hack Getrount 8" July 1751" 37mm, toned, VF/XF Found lacquered in trunk lid See lot 93
- 80 **Colorful 2¾" oval pocket mirror badge** Purple, red & white mirror suspended from gold ribbon with brass top bar DOKK Dramatic Order Knights of Khorassan, a Pythian-related group Tiger and crescent moon logo. Temple 143 Boston, Providence 1910 Overall 4-1/8" Excellent
- 81. **Bronze Brigitte Bardot French commem medal** Obv BB facing ³/₄ left By Lesot. Rev inscription, Bardot's form emerging Paris Mint edgemark 1966. 1-5/8", Unc., in box
- 82 Harvard University silver club medal. The German Society, established 1886. Obv German coat of arms holding Harvard and U.S shield in talons. Rev engraved "F.J Leviseur '13". 1-5/8", toned AU, claw holder. One of the scarcer Harvard society medals. Min\$100.





- 83. Wuesthoff struck silver copy of Sommer Islands 20 shilling, 31mm. Wuesthoff was an 1880s NYC coin dealer. Copies are listed in Kenney's book and featured on the cover, but little is known of them except that they are rare. Molted gray toning, 11 grams, AU-Unc. Min\$100.
- 84. **1901 Bi-Metallic Movie and Spanish American War relic token** "Ye Dairy Farm, Young's Ocean Pier Theater, Atlantic City 1901", steers in yoke/miniature horseshoe-shaped relic from U.S.S. Maine. Certified by W.C.Gibson, Commander U.S.N. Aluminum, 1½", holed as made
- 85. French military figural unit pin. Wolf in crescent moon "J'Y Suis-J'Reste" with "37". Silvered, cut-out style, 1-3/8", XF. By Drago, Paris.
- 86. Unlisted logo counterstamp on 1724 Spanish 2-reale. "Patent Boston". Coin G, C/S VF. Early and interesting Est \$100+.
- 87. **Crude and interesting early Hibernia half-penny** Obv laureate bust 20% off-center Rev 9 stringed crowned harp 26.5mm, 5.1 grams. Fine detail for this weakly struck issue Excellent study piece, should be seen.
- 88. **1966 Salt Water Fishing Contest Award pin** 20th Annual, issued by R.J. Schaefer. Shows game fish. Goldtone, red & black. 1-5/8", XF.
- 89. Adv'g enameled fob, Black Americana theme Oval copper with blue & white enameling, "Compliments of Angelica Jacket Co. The Mail Order Store for Cook's Linen, St. Louis" Obv. black chef in Angelica jacket, "We can live without music, we can live without books, but civilized man cannot live without cooks." 1-7/8". VF, enameling intact. Min\$100.
- 90 Columbian Expo/New York Naval Parade medal Obv Battleship New York, says "Columbian Expo" Rev shows Colonial ship, "To Commemorate the Naval Parade at New York 1893" White metal, 31mm, Prooflike-AU, holed with ring as made
- 91 Virginia Coal Scrip, unlisted variety HE Harman Coal Corp (Harman, VA). Nickel 10c 21mm Similar to Edkin's 1233A10, but rev "Orco Patent Pend" VF Listed piece is R6 See lot 38
- 92 2 versions of <u>deco-style Italian medal for 1933 Century of Progress</u> Expo, Chicago Obv 2 nude males holding torch, city in background Rev deco building with Italian Fleet of Airplanes flying to Expo One plain, one fob top Both bronze, 1-3/8". XF
- 93. 1794-IJ Carolus IV 8-reale from Lima Peru Obv counterstamp in oval on neck "George III". Type 1 C/S Obv coin & c/s VF Rev XF This coin was found lacquered into the lid of a trunk, along with others. See lot 79
- 94 Gold-filled watch chain with slide, ball & bar and gilded 2-sided dime love tokens IA/BPA monograms & DA/1891 with flower Maker B&D Overall 6" XF
- 95. **1837** half-penny token, listed in Red Book Low#49 Obv eagle "Standard Weight and Value" Rev wreath, stars, "Half Cent Worth of Pure Copper". 23.5mm, XF Red Book cat\$130



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